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Sir:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 54-74 and please add new claims 75-103 as follows:

--75. The polypeptide of claim 42, wherein the functional domain comprises a catalytic domain from a restriction enzyme.

76. A polynucleotide encoding the polypeptide of claim 75.